

## State Water Resources Control Board

March 18, 2019

(Via email and Certified Mail)

**CERTIFIED MAIL**

**NO. 7018 0680 0000 1017 6847**

Mr. Tom McJunkin  
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California Highway Patrol  
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Red Bluff, California 96080  
[tmcjunkin@chp.ca.gov](mailto:tmcjunkin@chp.ca.gov)

**SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION; UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEM  
LOCATED AT CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL RED BLUFF AREA,  
2550 MAIN STREET, RED BLUFF**

Dear Mr. McJunkin:

As part of an initiative by the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) to ensure compliance at government-owned and/or operated underground storage tank (UST) facilities in California, the State Water Board staff inspected the UST at your facility on March 8, 2019, pursuant to authority under Health and Safety Code (H&SC), chapter 6.7, section 25289.

The State Water Board has identified the following violations pursuant to H&SC, chapter 6.7, and California Code of Regulations (CCR), title 23, chapter 16:

No.	Violation	Tank	Start Date	Stop Date	Regulation
1	<b>Failure to Maintain Tank Information</b> – In CERS, under overfill protection, fill tube shut-off valve should state “No,” and ball float should state “Yes.”	Unleaded	March 8, 2019	Ongoing	23 CCR 2711(a)(6) & (d)
2	<b>Failure to Maintain Monitoring Plan</b> – In CERS, under recordkeeping, equipment maintenance and calibration records should state “Yes.”	Unleaded	March 8, 2019	Ongoing	23 CCR 2632(d)(1); H&SC 25286(a) & (c)
3	<b>Failure to Inspect Overfill Prevention Equipment</b> – The overfill prevention equipment has not been inspected. The inspection must be completed by April 23, 2019, per the Tehama County Environmental Health February 22, 2019 inspection report.	Unleaded	March 8, 2019	Ongoing	23 CCR 2637.2(a)

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4	<b>Failure to Maintain Owner/Operator Statement of Understanding and Compliance</b> – The Statement of Understanding and Compliance Form shall be submitted upon any change in owner or operator no later than 30 days after the change.	Unleaded	March 8, 2019	Ongoing	23 CCR 2715(a)
5	<b>Failure to Maintain Designated Operator (DO) UST Identification Form</b> – The DO UST Identification Form shall be submitted upon any change in owner or operator no later than 30 days after the change.	Unleaded	March 8, 2019	Ongoing	23 CCR 2715(a)
6	<b>Failure to Update Response Plan</b> – In CERS, the responsible person(s) and owner/operator listed in the response plan are no longer at this facility.	Unleaded	March 8, 2019	Ongoing	23 CCR 2632(d)(2)
7	<b>Failure to Monitor Product Piping</b> – The turbine sump sensor was incorrectly positioned at an angle and is unable to detect a leak at the earliest opportunity. This violation was corrected at the time of inspection.	Unleaded	March 8, 2019	March 8, 2019	23 CCR 2630(d)

**You are directed to correct the ongoing violations and submit compliance documentation to the State Water Board and Tehama County Environmental Health within sixty (60) days from the date of this letter. However, the overfill prevention equipment inspection must be completed by April 23, 2019. Have your DO make specific notations in the next monthly DO report indicating the ongoing violations have been corrected. The monthly DO report and any associated photos must be submitted as proof of compliance.**

Please send all compliance documentation to the following:

**State Water Board**

Ms. Jenna Hartman  
UST Enforcement Unit  
Office of Enforcement  
State Water Resources Control Board  
801 K Street, Suite 2300  
Sacramento, California 95814  
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**Local CUPA**

Ms. Lauri Dilworth  
Registered Environmental Health Specialist III  
Tehama County Environmental Health  
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Pursuant to Health and Safety Code, chapter 6.7, section 25299, the owner and operator of the tank(s) are liable for a penalty of \$500 to \$5,000 per tank, per day of violation. These penalties will continue to accrue until the violations have been corrected.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (916) 323-0600, or by email at [brian.taylor@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:brian.taylor@waterboards.ca.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Brian Taylor', is written over a horizontal line.

Brian Taylor  
Senior Water Resource Control Engineer (Supv.)  
UST Enforcement Unit  
**Office of Enforcement**

cc: *(via email only)*

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